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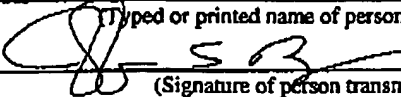
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Hon. Commissioner of  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 8/1/03, applicants respectfully request entry  
of the following amendment and consideration of the following remarks.